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## HOWELL.

HOWELL, Ky., Sept. 8.—The drouth,  
the general topic of conversation,  
continues unabated, and its conse-  
quences become more serious each  
day of its continuance; water, both  
for household and farm purposes, is  
becoming very scarce, tobacco is be-  
coming shorter and still shorter and  
is now beginning to die at the bottom  
badly. The only thing that seems  
to flourish under its influence is the  
noxious tobacco worm, and it obeys  
the scriptural injunction with a most  
alarming alacrity. Pastures are  
burning up and to crown it all  
hogs in many places are dying of  
cholera (of course). Corn cutting is  
the almost universal order of the day,  
and it is, I assure you a light job.  
The very best crops around here will  
not make more than 600 and I believe  
5 is nearer the mark while the average  
will not be more than 3 or 3½. It is  
not necessarily very high as it is a  
crop which cannot stand distant  
transportation. Hogs are very scarce.  
Cattle are in good fix but hardly  
salable at any price. There will be  
no beef cattle fed this fall around  
Howell as the price of corn will not  
justify it.

J. J. C. McKnight, near Garretts-  
burg, had a tobacco barn burned on  
yesterday. No particulars learned.  
The killing of George Taylor, of  
which you have already made men-  
tion, was a sad shock to this com-  
munity, in which George was raised  
and by which he was most highly  
esteemed. The writer has known  
George from childhood up and can  
truly say that he was a young man of  
noble and generous impulses and a  
career full of promise was just open-  
ing to his young but high ambition  
when he met his untimely fate. To  
his mourning mother and sor-  
rowing father and brothers we tender  
our sincerest sympathy.

The protracted meeting which has  
been in progress at Bonestown  
closed last Sunday. About forty addi-  
tions. The Rev. Barbee made a most  
favorable impression upon all who  
heard him as a powerful pulpit orator  
and as one calculated to future years  
to wear its highest honors. The  
meeting which was being held at  
Liberty by Rev. Lipscomb also closed  
on that day with quite a number of  
additions. As a thinker, reasoner  
and logician, the pulpit has few abler  
men.

Another meeting will be held at  
Locust Grove church on Saturday  
next and will be protracted. It will  
be conducted by Rev. Porter, who  
has many warm admirers in the sur-  
rounding community.

If Mr. J. E. Gossett, of Herndon  
seemed haughty to his friends and  
acquaintances I beg leave to say to  
say it was not intentional, but  
unavoidable, reason why, his new  
washerwoman stiffed his nether  
garments and he was naturally "stuck  
up" as the result.

If this statement unusually badly  
written, my excuse is that I am  
writing in the room where Jno. Allen's  
worth is asleep and he snores so loud  
he shakes the table.

Miss Sammie White, of Newstead,  
is visiting relatives at Herndon.

Miss Lucy Edwards, formerly of  
this county, but now of Williamsport,  
Pa., is visiting relatives here and in  
the surrounding country. She had  
been away nearly five years but had  
no trouble in re-asserting her reign  
as queen of hearts over her former  
subjects as well as receiving the  
homage of a host of new ones.

## HORACE.

Best All round Medicine in the  
World—Wonderful Cure of  
Catarrh.  
PALMER HOTEL, CINCINNATI, O.  
Gentlemen—Ever since I was ten  
years old I have had catarrh. I tried  
all kinds of medicine and the best  
physicians for the past fifteen years,  
but without any benefit. A few  
years ago I began on S. S. S. and  
after taking it for six months I was  
entirely cured. My blood was  
thoroughly cleansed, and I felt per-  
fectly well. I have not been troubled  
with the slightest touch of the disease  
from that day to this. I do not ex-  
aggerate when I say that I have from  
the age of ten to twenty have spent fully  
\$2,000. I spent three months in Phila-  
delphia under an eminent catarrh  
specialist at a cost of about \$1,000,  
but got no satisfactory results from  
his unquestionable skill. Frequently  
during those ten years I was confined  
to the house for weeks. I have  
and shall continue to recommend S. S. S.  
to hundreds of people. I regard it  
as the best "all round" medicine in  
the world. As a blood purifier it has  
no equal, and it is a sure specific in  
catarrh.  
JAMES F. HILL.

## A Perfectly Well Man Again.

SAYANAH, GA., Jan. 8, 1887.  
Gentlemen—I had a thoroughly  
developed case of contagious blood  
poison. My physician tried a month  
to cure me, but did me no good. I  
then went to my brother, who is a  
soldier, and he told me to take S. S. S. He got  
a dozen large bottles. They did me  
a great deal of good, and I got more.  
After using the medicine a short time  
I was entirely cured, and am to-day  
a perfectly well man.

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eases mailed free. The Swift Sys-  
tem Co., Drawer 3, Atlanta, Ga.

## An Ancient Time-Place.

P. B. Maxwell, ticket agent in the  
West Shore railroad depot at Port  
Jackson, N. Y., is an indefatigable  
bric-a-brac collector, and has recently  
added to his collection a watch which  
is 287 years old. It is in good repair  
and measures time fairly well. It has  
a "fusee" movement, and the face  
is covered by a heavy crystal  
which shows the hours surrounded by a large  
circle on which the minutes are marked.  
The back is of porcelain, on which is  
painted a garden scene with a man  
and woman in the foreground, attired  
in costumes of the seventeenth cen-  
tury. The features of the figures are  
delicately German. Mr. Maxwell, after  
numerous endeavors, succeeded in pur-  
chasing the watch because the seller  
created jealousy among the heirs of  
his owner, who were all anxious to  
possess it. The watch has been in one  
family for nine generations and was  
first brought to this country in 1783. Its  
history is well authenticated. *See  
Herald's Weekly.*

## PERSONAL.

Mr. N. H. Prohlichstein, of Mobile,  
Ala., writes: I take great pleasure in  
recommending Dr. King's New Dis-  
covery, Electric Bitters, and Buck-  
ley's Arnica Salve for a severe attack of  
Catarrh. It gave me instant relief  
and entirely cured me and I have  
not been afflicted since. I also beg to  
state that I had tried other remedies  
with no good result. Have also used  
Electric Bitters and Dr. King's New  
Life Pills, both of which I can re-  
commend.

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## ENGLISH AS SHE IS TAUGHT

Amusing Blunders that Have Been Made  
in New York School-Rooms.

In spite of the publication of the  
amusing and depressing book with the  
above title, the blunders made in the  
school-room are by no means ex-  
hausted in it. Here are a few fresh ones:

One of the questions in an examina-  
tion was: "Name several of the cap-  
itals of Florida." The boy who was  
the following answer showed that he  
read the newspapers and listened to  
travelers' tales: "Crocodiles, alligat-  
ors, reptiles, and invalids when they  
have got well."

Teachers are sometimes startlingly  
enlightened as to the absolute stupidity  
of pupils. Here is one case. A young  
woman, placed in a certain class be-  
cause of age rather than attainments,  
had for weeks studied pages of  
text books and listened to talks on  
human physiology, illustrated by dia-  
grams, the skeleton, etc. At the close  
of the term she was asked to explain  
the following answer showed that she  
show her comprehension of the work:

In answer to the demand to explain  
the respiratory process, no response  
came. The professor, seeing her  
blank look, put the statement as sim-  
ply as possible: "With what do you  
breathe—with your mouth?" She  
began to say "yes," but a friendly  
neighbor gave her a warning nudge,  
and she said "No." "Well, with  
what?" "I don't know; I forgot."

She further showed her knowledge by  
describing the gullet as nine inches in  
diameter. Another time, after a  
lesson on the heart had been given, and  
thoroughly discussed before the class,  
she was asked to describe the course  
of the blood through it. After re-  
garding it helplessly for a few mo-  
ments, she declined on the ground that  
she saw no pointing in "the point" for  
the blood to go out.

A young lady of similar natural en-  
dowments was, to the great distress of  
the teacher, a member of the class in  
English history. The date of Eliza-  
beth's reign had come up so frequently  
that, one day when favored with  
visitors, the teacher felt safe in asking  
this stupid young woman the date of  
Elizabeth's death. The answer came  
slowly but surely, "From 1558 to 1603."

A little girl who had not learned the  
table for nine times was much  
puzzled by reading on the blackboard  
"If a quart of wine costs one dollar,  
how much will three hogsheads cost?"  
Finally she asked, "Teacher, how  
many hogs will there be if there's three  
heads?"

Even attentive pupils find difficulty  
in comprehending what they hear,  
and in grasping the connection of  
thoughts. A class had a short account  
of Richard Coeur de Lion's romantic  
adventures read to them. The pupils  
were asked to tell it in their own words.  
One stated that Richard, when in  
Syria, had been asked to a banquet  
by Aladdin who had the hearts of the  
English knights, his prisoners, served  
as part of the feast. Richard, eating  
the hearts of one who had killed a lion,  
was over after known as the  
"Lionhearted."

Another told how severely this King  
had been used while in captivity, the  
indignities finally culminating in his  
captors reducing him to a diet of  
worms.

To be strictly fair to all parties it  
should be stated that all the class room  
blunders are not made by the pupils.  
A teacher who had an opportunity to  
test reputation in one grade to whose  
limited range of studies she had strictly  
confined herself, suddenly and with-  
out time for preparation found her-  
self promoted to a higher position.

One day when the visiting  
committee of the "board of educa-  
tion" was present, the question came up  
in the course of the lesson: "Who  
discovered the Hudson river?"  
"Henry Hudson," replied the child.  
"Oh, no," said the teacher; "don't  
you know Henry Hudson discovered  
Hudson's Bay, but D. Soto discovered  
the river?" This teacher also finds it  
difficult to believe that a number mul-  
tipled by a cipher gives a product of  
nothing. If you take eight dollars no  
times it can not be possible to have  
nothing!

Another teacher said to a member of  
the State Board of Health who was in-  
vestigating the condition of the rooming  
houses: "I haven't any ventilators; I  
don't see any use for them." "But  
how do you keep the air pure?" "Oh,  
I've got a thermometer."—*Cor. Albany*  
*(N. Y.) Argus.*

## FACTS FOR FARMERS.

—Good, heavy farm horse: sell well.  
—In France over two hundred thou-  
sand people are engaged in raising  
beets for sugar.

—Wells on the farm should be thor-  
oughly cleaned out in the spring and  
fall. At this season there will be a few  
wells that will not contain loads both  
alive and in a state of decomposition.

—The Courtes Pouter is a new French  
breed of fowls recently introduced in  
this country. They are non-setters,  
and have very short legs and large  
bodies, making a very compact appear-  
ance when dressed for market.

—The heaviest lamb ever raised in  
the United States, an Oxford, which  
attained one hundred pounds in nine  
months, was fed all the ground oats, in  
addition to its mother's milk, it could  
eat. A twin sister reached eighty-sev-  
en pounds in the same period.—*Indian-*  
*apolis Journal.*

—A good motto for the farmer to  
write over his barn door would be  
"Push along; keep moving." There  
is a whole library of good counsel in  
these words. It is the soul of progress  
and improvement. Push along, keep  
moving.

—The National Agricultural De-  
partment report makes the decrease in  
the hog supply 1,500,000 from last  
year, and the hog cholera still de-  
vastating the herds in some parts of  
the country. This points to good prices  
for a year at least.

—The most valuable elements of man-  
ure are not to be measured by the  
cord. The liquid and gaseous portions  
are the most valuable, and also the  
hardest to hold. They are the first to  
escape, and pass off unnoticed through  
such an easy outlet.

—Better prices are being paid for  
cows and underdeveloped horses now than  
have been over known before. Good  
breeding and good pedigree are guar-  
antees upon which to judge the future  
horse, and buyers can afford to take  
more chances now than they could be-  
fore the matter of breeding received  
the attention it now does.

—Digging furrows over the plowed  
ground is one of the hardest tasks that  
horses have to do in farm work, and  
teams are often imposed upon while  
doing it. The walking is hard for both  
driver and horses, and the former is  
often tempted to ride either on the har-  
row or on one of the horses, not think-  
ing of ending what the consequences  
really are.—*St. Louis Republic.*

—The presence of organic matter in  
the soil increases its fertility by equal-  
izing the amount of water which the  
soil will retain, so it defends the plant  
against drouths. It not only absorbs  
water like a sponge when it rains, but  
in dry weather it abstracts moisture  
from the air which it yields to the  
plant besides it arrests and retains  
certain kinds of plant food which  
might otherwise be washed away or  
down through the soil by rains.—*Golden Rule.*

—For the perfect keeping of milk,  
says a writer, it is necessary to cool  
the milk on being drawn from the cow.  
The dairyman who neglects to do this  
part of his business fails to do his duty  
to the milk and his customer, for it is  
well known to those who have investi-  
gated the subject that when fresh milk  
is shut up in a tight vessel without  
cooling and allowed to cool off itself, it  
develops a very disagreeable odor, as  
the researches of Professors Newton  
and Wallace at Long Branch lately  
proved the danger of using milk that  
has not been properly treated.

## GROWTH OF TREES.

Valuable Information Given by a Noted  
American Horticulturist.

Mr. A. R. Whitney, well known over  
the United States as a most successful  
horticulturist, and to nurserymen as the  
long-time treasurer of the American  
Nurserymen's Association, lately gave  
the following information as to the  
growth of trees, as planted on his farm  
at Franklin Grove, Ill., as at last year,  
which we have tabulated as follows:

NAME OF TREE.	3 years.	4 years.	5 years.
Honey locust	30	35	40
Black walnut	44	50	55
White ash	30	35	40
Burr oak	30	35	40
European larch	30	35	40
White beech	30	35	40
Red maple	30	35	40
Osage orange	30	35	40
Hatterden	30	35	40
Red mulberry	30	35	40
Iron pine	30	35	40
Shed maple	30	35	40
Soft maple	30	35	40

These trees, except apple, were not  
planted singly, but in clumps or regu-  
lar rows. The osage orange was in  
hedge rows, and all the trees were  
from seed or else small trees when  
planted. The red cedar made twelve  
fine posts to the trees. Planted in  
clumps of valuable kinds will pay.—*Farm,*  
*Field and Stockman.*

## Strength of Portland Cement.

The great strength acquired by  
Portland cement with a solution of cal-  
cium chloride is shown by the fact  
that even the runners of cement mills  
are now repaired with that mixture,  
the stones being put to work within an  
hour of repairing the cement, possess-  
ing perfect resistance, and wearing less  
than lead, which has been so  
largely employed for the same pur-  
pose. All joints can be by this means be  
made with great facility, acquiring in  
a short time extreme solidity. When  
slight swelling during setting being  
also very useful in filling the hollows  
and making good adhesion. Setting  
begins in three or four minutes, and is  
attended with an elevation of tempera-  
ture that may attain to seventy de-  
grees, Cent. On being mixed with  
silica, chloride, cement, softens, if it  
is immediately plunged into water;  
but, after having been allowed to dry  
for eight or ten days, it may be so im-  
mersed without inconvenience or detri-  
ment to its cohesion and hardness—  
ordinarily damp air having no influ-  
ence upon the mixture. When great  
hardness and quick setting are par-  
ticularly desired, the cement may be  
used in its pure state, but, in general,  
an equal mixture of sharp sand is found  
to answer every purpose.—*N. Y.*  
*Sun.*

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Jas. Perciful's barn, near Elizabethtown, was burned. Loss \$1,000, insurance \$700.

The International Medical Congress, which met at Washington last week, adjourned Saturday to meet in Berlin next year.

Marshall Gross will go to Muhlenberg county this week in the capacity of a peace-maker and will make an effort to effect a compromise of the bond troubles.

Gov. Buckner has appointed thirteen delegates and as many alternates to represent Kentucky in the Farmers' Congress at Chicago Nov. 1 to 5. The appointees for the Second District are, delegate E. D. Powell, of Henderson; alternate, Dr. J. D. Clardy, of Christian.

The Republicans are talking of running Louis Jones, of Muhlenberg, for the State Senate in the counties of Butler, Muhlenberg and Ohio, until recently represented by Adjutant General Sam E. Hill. Jones served a term or two in the Legislature from Muhlenberg and was defeated by Rob Thomas in 1885.

The Tri-Weekly Inquirer, at Owensboro, will shortly appear as an evening paper. Owensboro already has one daily, the Messenger, which is issued every morning, and with another daily, which will insure the town the afternoon as well as the morning news, Owensboro ought to be well advertised and her people kept thoroughly posted.

Prospects are that the coming annual session of the K. of P. Grand Lodge at Lexington, September 20, 22 and 23, will be the grandest ever held by the order. Already ten divisions have reported. Hopkinsville, Henderson and Owensboro Knights will meet the Louisville delegation here, and take the Monday evening (September 19) train. — Louisville Post.

George Burroughs, editor of the Central City Republican, is going to go west and grow up with the country as soon as he can get rid of his paper. He is one of the most capable newspaper men in the State, and is making a sensible move for his talents should have a wider field of action than is afforded by running a weekly at a railroad crossing in a bankrupt county.

Miss Eliza Hicks, a rural belle of Henderson county, was to marry John Rucker, who had been her lover since childhood, next Wednesday but on last Thursday she proved faithless to Rucker and eloped with a feather renovator named G. T. Bennett, whom she had met but three times before. Bennett's home is in McLean county.

Col. T. G. Jones, Colonel of the Second Regiment Alabama State Troops, has returned to the 16th Coun. Volunteers a flag captured from them in battle by a soldier of the Montgomery True Blues, in 1864. The banner was forwarded to the Governor of Connecticut, together with a letter giving the history of its capture, and its preservation by the Montgomery company, which has been reorganized from time to time and has existed under the same name since the close of the war.

The following rewards have been offered by the Governor for fugitives from justice, viz: Robt. Gardner, col. of Henderson, murderer \$500 (captured); Ike Parrish, col. Christian, murderer \$150 (captured Sept. 8); Jno. Hamer, col. regt. of Boyle, \$150; Frank Spohn, of Harrison, murderer \$200; Jno. M. Neares, Bracken, murderer \$250; Sam Love alias Gill, Franklin Co., malicious cutting \$50; Geo. W. Evans, of Carter Co., rapist, \$150; Unknown murderer of Wm. Mayfield, of Lewis county, \$200.

Hon. Albert Gallatin Talbot, of Boyle County, died in Philadelphia last Friday, in the 70th year of his age. He married a young lady of Philadelphia, about a year ago and died while on a visit to his wife's relatives. He was a member of the Convention that formed the present State Constitution in 1850, and was several times elected to Congress, to the State Senate and the Lower House of the Legislature. He represented Boyle county in the Legislature of 1883-4 and was conspicuous as an uncompromising opponent of the liquor traffic.

A novel and interesting suit took place before Esquire O'Brien at Haden'sville, Monday of last week. John Puckett, a Todd county boy, brought suit against Miss Eunice Hooser, one of the prettiest young ladies in the county, for \$135, car and bus fare from Nashville to Guthrie. At the time the young man was so lavish with his money, it is said that the relations between the two were exceedingly pleasant, but it is ever thus that the "course of true love never runs smooth," and things took a tilt in another direction. It resulted in a victory for the young lady, much to the delight of many spectators. The families are both highly esteemed, and the suit created a great deal of interest. Mrs. Hooser, mother of the fair defendant, conducted her daughter's side of the case before the court, and she did it in a manner that made a lasting impression on the plaintiff, the court and the spectators.

### After The Liquor Men.

As we have before remarked, the eyes of the people of Christian county are fixed upon the present Grand Jury. The Prohibition Law has been defied and violated and it now remains to be seen whether it can and will be enforced. The guilty parties are intensely interested, and the people at large are interested. The Grand Jurors shut themselves up like clams when questions are asked by outsiders, but something occasionally leaks out that gives an insight into their doings. It is a pretty well established fact that three-fourths of the members, including the foreman, are in favor of the rigid enforcement of the law. Dr. J. D. Clardy, R. M. Anderson and Robt. Lander, col. three of the most ardent prohibition advocates in the county, are making the liquor men miserable by the way they are questioning witnesses. A great many parties have been summoned to appear. Many of them are truthful gentlemen and it is believed that all has been struck in several localities. The list of those summoned and to be summoned includes lawyers, doctors, Main-street merchants, county officers, ex-officers, ex-soldiers, politicians and so on down the list to common drunkards, and negroes who carry baskets around town to gather up dirty clothes at all hours of the day and night. Since the Grand Jury met, there has been so much sickness developed about the city that several parties have gone to the country for the benefit of their health and will probably be gone two or three weeks. Some of those called in to answer questions are very reluctant to tell all they know and it is even rumored that the foundation has been laid for a few indictments for perjury. The grand jury is the one theme of public talk and the people have such faith in it that one of the ministers in his sermon Sunday thanked God that we had such a grand jury. No indictments have yet been returned and the wet men are saying that the witnesses have evaded the questions in most instances and that so few indictments will be found that the violators can afford to pay the fines and go ahead. It must however be borne in mind that after the first conviction imprisonment is a part of the punishment and if there is any attempt made to ignore this a considerable racket is liable to be kicked up by those who want to see the liquor business broken up entirely. It may also be noted that a conviction has followed in every case so far tried by the jury, though the juries have in most cases given the lowest penalty for first convictions. The new jury to be empaneled next Monday will try the next cases. Taken all in all the outlook for the enforcement of the law is not so bad. Whenever indictments are returned the cases should be pushed to a speedy trial and if the petty juries really want the law enforced let the highest penalty—\$500 and 90 days in jail—be assessed in every case after the first. If this be done, it will take but a few convictions to knock the bottom out of the whisky business in Hopkinsville and Christian county.

### A Wonderful Shot.

The man who put ten bullets in succession inside the circumference of a Milwaukee girl's finger ring, at fifteen paces, was a pretty good shot, but he wasn't half so wise as the billions who put ten of "Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Purgative Pellets" into his system in five days, and on the sixth walked ten miles "just because he felt so well." If your blood is out of order, if you feel low-spirited and "blue," you will find these Little Liver Pills just what you need.

### A Soured Dago.

Tony Sansone, the Dago who operated a fruit stand in one corner of a lively stable on Main street some time back, and who returned to Henderson, was not at all pleased with his experience here. The Henderson Journal says: "Tony, the Italian fruit vender, who dropped \$75 in his short business venture in Hopkinsville is trying to get even by giving that place a bad name. He says Hopkinsville is the 'shortest' town he ever struck, and the majority of the population before his coming never saw anything in the line of imported fruit; that in eating bananas as they eat skin and all, and they swallow the seeds of grapes and throw away the succulent inside. He imported some California pears while there which cost him five cents each, and was obliged to sell them two for a nickel or have them spoil on his hands. He says in the place of selling fifty bunches of bananas a week, as here, he was in luck to see a bunch and a half there. To cap the climax, he could get no beer and had to pay five cents for a drink of water. We hope the advent of the new railroad will brace up the town, and offer better inducements to Italian immigration."

### A Tremendous Affair.

From reports received by letter and in the neighboring papers, the reunion of the Blue and the Gray at Evansville from Sept. 20th to the 23rd, inclusive, is to be a tremendous affair. Twenty-five crack companies from all parts of the United States have entered in the Competitive Drills, and the Adjutant General of the Army has detailed Major Kellogg and Lieutenant Slocum, of the Regular Army, to inspect the Camp and the Drill.

The Committees are all busily at work, and preparations are being made for the comfortable accommodation of all who attend. Distinguished Generals from both sides will be present and organized bodies of Veteran Soldiers from as far North as Chicago, and as far South as New Orleans, have notified the Committee that they are coming. It will be one of the largest and most interesting assemblages ever held in the West. There will also be an Industrial Parade, which will be a magnificent affair.

### The St. Louis Exposition and Fair.

The exposition of this great Western Metropolis opened Tuesday the 7th last, under the most flattering circumstances and offers for public inspection a superior display of exhibits. The permanent building is one of the finest in the United States, and is well located. The great St. Louis Fair opens Oct. 31, and continues until the 8th inclusive. Those only who have attended these annual meetings know of their immensity, and to those who have never been we would say, by no means fail to go next month, as this exhibition promises to exceed any previous year.

The L. & N. Railroad will sell tickets at one fare for the round trip, which places it within reach of all. The procession of the Veiled Prophets takes place Tuesday night, the 4th, and the city will be illuminated Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday nights during the Fair.

### Theodore L. Harrison, United States Consul at Baracoa, Cuba, died at that point last Friday night.

Mr. Harrison was appointed from Carrollton, Ky., four months ago. He was a young man, a lawyer and the son of Maj. R. F. Harrison, a most estimable citizen of Carroll county.

### The Lime Factory Sold.

A few months ago, Mr. Frank Connel, of Erin Tenn., came to this city and in conjunction with his brother, Mr. James Connel, who was employed by F. L. Ellis & Co., decided to open a lime kiln on the river bank, at the foot of 3rd street. The stone was examined and found to be equal in every respect to that from which the celebrated Erin lime, manufactured by Harris & Buquo, is made. The gentlemen under the firm name of Connel Bros. proceeded to put up a kiln and barrel factory and get ready for a permanent business. They invested about \$1000 in the enterprise and went to work and soon made about 600 barrels of very fine lime. Among the orders received was one from the Erin firm for a car-load. The order was filled and when the Erin men found that the lime was as good as their own they shut up the kiln here. One of the Connel's had formally worked with them and the first step was to offer him his old place at \$1,000 a year. He at once wanted to get out and return to Erin, but his brother wanted to continue the business. He laid the matter before several capitalists and agreed to run the business himself and give up a good position with Ellis & Co. if some man with \$1,000 capital would buy his brother's interest and enable the firm to make some needed additions to the plant, etc. He stated that the capacity of the kiln was 65 barrels a day and that every barrel made could be sold at once at a net profit of 10 to 15 cents. After trying for two days he was unable to get any one to take hold of the matter and consequently the quarry, kiln and improvements were all sold to the Erin men for \$1,900. They will not operate the plant, but simply close it up and keep out other parties. Thus has collapsed a promising industry that might have been made a big success if some enterprising capitalist had put a few hundred dollars into it. The lime was as fine as the best on the market and the supply of rock is inexhaustible. There was a fortune in it, but the whole plant has passed into the hands of a wealthy monopoly and that is the end of it.

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### CROFTON.

Chorosh, Ky., Sept. 11.—The long drought was broken in this section last Wednesday by a good rain.

Three men took dinner at the Hancock House to-day whose combined weight was seven hundred and thirty-nine pounds.

Jeff Brasher, living near Kelly, had a little daughter severely bitten by a dog yesterday.

Rev. Mr. Hopson, who has been preaching to the Baptist congregation at this place for two years, delivered his farewell sermon to-day. He has made many friends since he took charge of this work. We understand that the vacancy will be filled by Rev. Mr. Dorris, who is also very well known through this section.

W. B. Wilkerson, of your city, was in town to-day.

Mrs. Mosby Cannon left to-day for Little Rock, Ark.

J. A. B. Johnson, of your city, came down to-day to visit his daughter, Miss Mattie, who has charge of the music department of the Crofton Academy.

The young men gave a social hop at the Hall last night, which was well attended.

The moonlight at J. T. Brown's Friday night was not well attended by the Croftonians, owing to there being a mistake about who would do the inviting. Notwithstanding Mr. Brown made those who did attend enjoy the evening.

W. M. West, who went to Cincinnati to purchase fall goods, returned home yesterday.

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